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DETECTIVE LOOKING FOR CAR ROBBERS

Dan Dugan, detective for the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie railroad company was in town yesterday tracing up some articles that have been missing from the shipments that have arrived within the past couple of weeks at the local feight house.

On last Friday morning, the railroad detectives captured 6 Italians at Struthers, a small town just this side of Youngstown, O., in the act of unloading some goods from a box car. These men are thought to comprise the gang that has been stealing goods from the railroad yards for some time. They are all employed as section hands on the road. Watch has been kept on their movements for some time and it is said that certain conviction will follow their trial.

The yards at Struthers are used as a transfer and storage point for freight from the East and an immense amount of traffic is handled daily at this point. Quite a few local merchants have been short in their shipments lately and the loss could not at first be traced. Only a short time ago, a consignment of wash ringers and some other hardware accessories for H. J. Bearer here, were lost and these will no doubt turn up in the large quantity of stolen articles that were found in the homes of the arrested men, near Struthers.

INSULT TO DAUGHTER CAUSE FOR SHOOTING

It developed at the hearing held before Burgess Reamer last evening that Campo DeStolfs, the Italian who stabbed Gaetano Tibersis on Sunday evening had done so because his daughter had been insulted by Gaetans. Tibersis is said to have started all the trouble at a restaurant on Schoonmaker avenue. It is not known who did the shooting although it is thought that the Italians know and refuse to disclose the fact. They were fined the costs of the hearing.

Billy Sunday to be at McKeesport

Billy Sunday, the evangelist now conducting a revival at Wheeling, W. Va., on Sunday, in answer to the appeal of a committee which met him and insisted on his coming to the Monongahela Valley, said: "I will come to McKeesport before Christmas, either September 15 or November 1." The committee was by headed the pastors of each church in McKeesport and there were one hundred in the entire committee.

Boys
Peg Top
New Elk
Jr. Suits
10 to 17 years
Now on Display
Nothing like them ever shown in Monessen. Boys, if you don't look at them before you pick your Spring Suit, you will get in wrong.
M. MEYERS & SON

ROBBINS' FITNESS FOR THE OFFICE

Ambition to succeed in his chosen profession has been the keynote of Col. E. E. Robbins' rise as a member of the Westmoreland county bar. Not only in his home county has this well known attorney's ambition been realized, but in many of the counties in the state. Col. Robbins is one of Westmoreland county's most versatile lawyers and with the training that he has had and the measure of achievement that has been his it is safe to say that as a member of congress, representing a district like the twenty-second congressional of Pennsylvania, his constituents need have no fear, but that their interest will be given the most careful attention.

An incident of interest was related the other day by one of Col. Robbins' ardent supporters at Scottdale. The late John Might, of that town, who was a member of a troop of Pennsylvania cavalry during the Civil war, had been disabled during a battle by severe saber wounds. His case had long gone negelected until it was brought to the attention of Col. Robbins, who immediately took the matter up and secured not only a pension of $30 a month for this deserving veteran, but the payment of back pension amounting to $2,700. This was the largest back pension ever paid by the government.

ANNUAL OPENING AT JANAVITZ' STORE

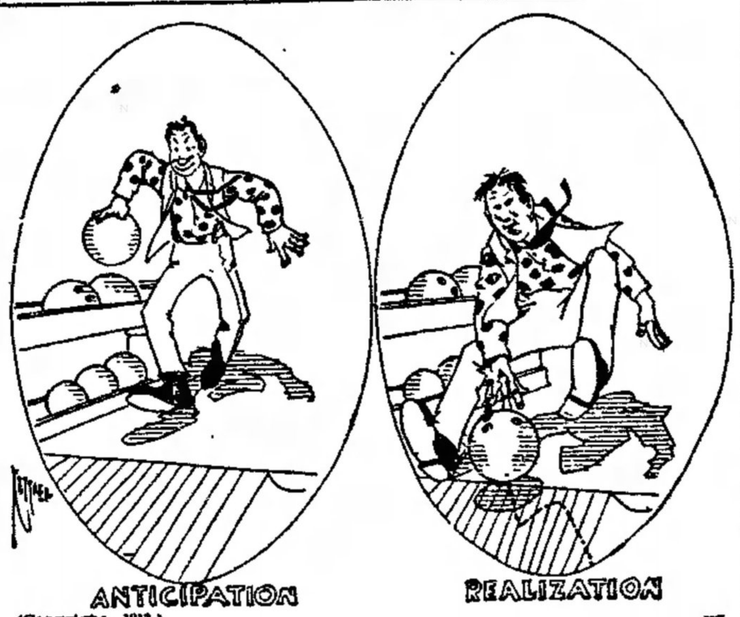
The annual spring opening of the Max Janavitz ladies' store on Schoonmaker avenue will occur on Thursday evening of his week from 7:30 until 10 o'clock. There will be good music during the evening and everything will be made pleasant for all visitors. Mrs. Janavitz is just back from her Eastern buying trip and has laid in the finest stock of millinery, cloaks, suits, ladies' and children's wear that the people of Monessen have had the opporunity to view. Everything of the finest and best, and the very latest and newest models. Be sure to attend the opening Thursday evening.

The Presbyterian congregation is planning to hold a bazaar on the evenings of March 29 and 30, which will be known as the "Festival of Days". It will be held in Kelley's hall and the event promises to be something worth while.

A Comfortable Shoulder Brace
One that does not continually bind — that contains no steels, is light and cool and so perfectly adjustable that the wearer need suffer no inconvenience except as an incorrect attitude is assumed. The Rexall Brace is sold only at our store—*The Rexall Store.* Price $1.00
Craig's Drug Store
461 Donner avenue.

NEW SPRING SHOES
For early spring we are now showing the new lasts and leathers which will be popular this year, among which you will find a particularly nice **White Nubuck** which can be **washed with soap and water**—Also Tans, White Duck, Velvet and Suede Boots all at prices from
$2.50 to $4.00
We Invite Your Inspection
Cowan's
508 Donner Avenue
Next Door to Monessen Savings and Trust Company

LIFE'S DISAPPOINTMENTS



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REVIVAL MEETINGS CLOSE WITH GREAT GOOD TO CHURCH AND PEOPLE

The two weeks' series of evangelistic services closed Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church, every available space in the house being occupied. Evangelist Houck preached the best sermon he had delivered during his stay here and the audience was deeply impressed.

Rev. H. O. MacDonald, the pastor expresses his decided pleasure at the results attending the meetings, which will be long remembered, as many were the names added to the membership roll and the spiritual uplift for the membership and the community generally has been decidedly marked.

As a result of the good result attained, Rev. MacDonald contemplates arranging a praise and testimonial meeting for April 7th, and the Sabbath evenings will be devoted to a special series of "clean-up sermons."

In an interview he stated that inasmuch as more than a half hundred new members were being added to the church, all coming into the congregation on the platform of "Clean and Square for Christ," must be enlightened as to the purpose aimed at, so as to enable the entire church to stand with these new members on the same platform.

Says Rev. MacDonald: "The drawing of a distinct line between the christian and the world has been delayed too long. The issue of the day, before all churches is to clean up and keep clean." Every pastor in Monesen or elsewhere, having the courage of his convictions to present the gospel straight, should have the hearty co-operation of every sincere and honest man or woman in the whole parish.

The new impetus given to the churches as the result of these revival services must certainly usher in a new era for a cleaner and better Monessen. Let the slogan be applied to both civic and religious life."

Both of the evangelists who worked so faithfully, earnestly and successfully in Monessen for a number of weeks, Messrs. Houck and Porter departed yesterday for other fields, and everyone who knew the gentlemen or heard them or saw their work will remember them most kindly.

Next Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock communion services will be held, and there will be special services on Wednesday and Friday evenings, Rev. J. H. Rodgers of St. Cloud, Florida, to preach.

The membership and all who expect to unite with the church are earnestly requested to be present at both of these services.

TWO BIG 7's

Easter is April 7th Also there are even big reasons why your EASTER SUIT should be made by the Royal Tailors. Come in and we'll show you the 7 reasons
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Friday Night, Saturday Afternoon, Saturday Night
Gallagher & Wayne
Present their Lively Comedy
Memories of By-Gone Days
With 10 Happy Youngsters
The Biggest Show Yet
Pretty Girls Real Comedians
Good Singing and Dancing
Extra Added Attraction
The Pfeil Sisters
Featuring Baby Anna
Laugh Dont miss this show if you Laugh

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Since this bank began business its total net earnings have been $127,363.42, from which the stockholders have received $48,000.00 in dividends, and the balance, $79,363.42, has gone back into the working capital of the business to increase the protection and security of depositors. The stockholdess now have invested in this business $229,363.42, every dollar of which is for the protection of its depositors. This is in line with this bank's policy to give first consideration to the interests and protection of its customers. Your Account is Invited.
E. M. FRYE, Pres. J. HOWARD KELLY, Treas.
T. S. ADAMS, Asst. Treas.

MEETING TONIGHT TO START BASEBALL

This evening there will be a meeting of the representatives of the church base ball league and all the churches are urged to have an authorized representative on hand. The meeting has been called for 8 o'clock. Committees will probably be appointed to draft a schedule at this meeting and it is thought that if the present brand of weather keeps up that the season will be opened a little earlier than was originally intended.

Inquiries made so far concerning the outlook of each of the different teams have brought forth the same reply on all sides, "better than ever." With both the Page team and the church league in the city this summer, Monessen should not suffer much from a want of good baseball.

STAR THEATRE HAS EXCEPTIONAL BILL

The Star for the first part of the week has one of the best and most evenly balanced bills that has ever appeared here. The show opens with Sylvester and Vance, in chatter, patter and song, an act that is particularly pleasing and is different from the usual run. Richard L. Wargner, impersonator of great men, past and present, has a first rate act and his impersonations are well nigh perfect. Harry Hoyt, dancing comedian is very clever and is an exceedingly graceful dancer. He introduces some entirely new steps in his dances and makes a big hit. The feature act, "The 6 Cornellas," in an original novelty acrobatic act, was one of the biggest treats of it's kind that has ever appeared here and it can safely be said that there have been very few vaudeville acts of any kind that are in the same class with this one Their tumbling and aerial acrobatic feats are nothing short of marvelous. First-class photo plays on the Starescope complete the performance. There is no doubt but that crowded houses will greet the remaining performances of this stellar bill.

Miss Frances Joseph, who has been attending school in Portland, Ore., is spending an extended visit here with her father, Phil Joseph, the well-known Donner avenue merchant.

ARNOLD CITY MURDER CASE BEING TRIED

The first case called before Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen at Uniontown Monday was that of John A. Elekanich, charged with the murder of Peter Ribsek, whom the accused is alleged to have shot in the abdomen during a drunken quarrel at a christening at Arnold City, at the end of the Monessen street car line, February 17th last.

George B. Jeffries and F. M. Lardin are counsel for the defendant and District Attorney S. Ray Shelby represents the commonwealth.

District Attorney Shelby stated that on Feb. 17th, there were two christenings at Arnold City, one at house No. 48 and the other at house 109. That about 9 or 9:30 o'clock the defendant and two friends went as uninvited guests to house 109. Elekanich remained outside while his friends went in. He told a man whom he met that he was "after somebody" and displayed his revolver. Later when Elekanich's friends were ejected the defendant fired five shots at house 109, fatally wounding Ribsek. It is claimed that the defendant threatened to fix any one who told about the shooting.

CHARLEROI'S CATHOLIC CHURCH TO BE BUILT

Charleroi is to complete her Catholic church the coming summer. Like Monessen did for a number of years, the Charleroi church people went, at the time, as far as their means would consistently permit and built the walls of their edifice one story in height and placed a roof thereon. As far as it went, the basement was very substantially built and now the congregation are going to complete their church home and so decided at a meeting Sunday evening. The church will cost about $50,000 and will be among the finest of the valley.

Jos. Safier of the Safier department store has arrived home from New York, where he spent a week purchasing a line of cloaks, suits and spring millinery which he will display at his store on Dorner avenue.

Spring Styles

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are now ready; better than ever. You won't add much to your weight in pounds by wearing
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clothes, but you'll add to your business weight. Good clothes like these make a man look important; and that's one step towards being so.
We'll put you into the right clothes here, at the right price.
H. S. & M. Suits.....$18 to $25
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Only daily paper published in Westmoreland county in the upper section of the Monongahela valley.

Municipal Consistency

A neighboring daily paper calls the city council to task for using the public money to defray the expense of making ordinances public, granting franchises to public utility corporations such as the Independent Telephone Co., Monongahela and Ellsworth Street Railway Co., West Penn Electric Co., and Welsbach Lighting Co. Also for drawing said ordinances etc., in all amounting to $175.00. The paper thinks it enough to give these corporations the franchises without paying for the ordinances, etc. That would be true were it so. But to those experienced in municipal affairs it comes along in the direct line of legitimate business for the council to take care of these necessary expenses, for the time-being, in order to facilitate business, avoid delays and get the matters before the public as quickly as possible, and then surcharge the expense back to the respective corporations which they are always ready and willing to pay. The cry of "giving" franchises, etc., has become so antiquated that we scarcely hear it referred to at this day by wide awake, progressive people or towns. It is recognized universally as a benefit to a town as well as to the corporation to grant these franchises. In other words, the benefits are mutual. What would a town like—say Monessen, be without street cars, telephone and telegraph facilities, electric light, gas, etc? People want and are anxious to have all these things, yet some still persist in picking flaws with city councils when they do everything within their power to procure for their people the advantages afforded them by the turn of the wheels of science, progress and prosperity. The granting of the franchises is right and proper, as is also the paying for the first legal publicity thereof by councils, in escro, as it were, and it is not to be presumed that any municipal treasury is so low that it cannot look after legitimate business for the peoples' good, when it is known and understood that all moneys so expended are to be returned by said corporations. All affairs municipal should be conducted along a broad, business like plane, even if the finance therefor has to sometimes be borrowed. It lowers the dignity of any town to stoop to petty practices, and it is not justice to charge irregularities when every possible effort is being put forth for a town's future good

What Some Men Will Do

An exchange gives the following, which possesses some pointed truths: "Men are queer. Wouldn't there be a roar when they went home to their meals if they had to climb upon a high stool in front of a table on which there was no cloth and eat their meals in that fashion? Yet the majority of men when they go to a restaurant will pick out the high stool and the feed board with no cloth on it in preference to a comfortable chair with a cloth-covered table. A man will borrow a chew of tobacco and most of them will set their teeth into the plug where some other man has gnawed off a chew. Offer him a piece of pie at home from which his wife or children may have taken a bite and he would holler his head off. At home he will not drink out of a glass from which one of the family has been drinking. Call him into the back stall of a livery barn, pull out a bottle and he will stick the neck half way down his throat in order to get a swig, after half a dozen fellows have had the neck of the bottle in their liquor soaked tobacco befouled mouths. Truly, man is a queer duck, isn't he?"

The State Department of Health has issued a series of pamphlets in German, Slavish, Polish and Italian, dealing with scarlet fever, diphtheria, typhoid fever and tuberculosis. Dr. Dixon, State Commissioner of Health, has ordered the 700 health officers over the State to distribute these when placarding houses in which disease exists as they set forth in a clear and concise form the precautions which should be observed in the care of these various diseases to prevent the infection of others and to insure the most favorable conditions for the patient.

The State Department of Health has 119 dispensaries throughout the State where sufferers from tuberculosis are treated absolutely without cost. There is no charge for examination and from these dispensaries patients are sent to Mont Alto, the largest Tuberculosis Sanatorium in the world, which is maintained by the State for the free treatment of those suffering from tuberculosis, who are unable to pay for it.

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Republican Announcements

FOR CONGRESS
Twenty-second District
HON. EDWARD E. ROBBINS
of Greensburg
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13

FOR ASSEMBLY
District No. 2.
F. J. McALLISTER
of New Kensington
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Classified advertisements such as For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Boarding and Lodging and all such advertisements will be run under this heading at the rate of a cent a word.

WANTED—Girl for general house work. Inquire at 102 Fourth street. 43 3t

FOR RENT—A large front furnished room. Suitable for two men, 440 Schoonmaker avenue, between 4th and 5th streets. 42-tf

LOST—Valuable papers and receipts enclosed in envelope of Duvall & Duvall. Worthless except to owner. If found return to M. Giba, Wireton, or this office. 42-2t-p

WANTED—Two experienced dining room girls. Inquire Grand Hotel. 40-tf

FOR SALE—at sacrifice, a Maxwell 40, in first class condition. Party must leave, address S this office. 41-tf

FOR RENT—French hall, Third street. Inquire of Jean Martin or Eli Tueche. 11 tf

For Sale—Farm of 11 acres, good six room house and other out buildings, good well of water, gas and city water, 5 minutes walk from Borough line of Belle Vernon. Ask Frank Sevelli, 309 Schoonmaker. 26t

FOR SALE—New mahogany upright piano right from factory, sold everwhere for $300.00. Will be sacrificed for $175.00. Easy terms. First person meaning business will get the prize. Apply today, Independent office. 40-tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain to settle estate. Dinsmore brick works property at Naomi station, on P. and L. E. R. R. Brick works, 5 room house and 17 acres of land. Easy terms. Inquire of L. C. Dinsmore, Monongahela, Pa. 38-wed.-sat-6t-p

Republican Announcement

According to the Republican party of Westmoreland County, the primary election will be held at the several polling places on Saturday the 13th day of April 1912 between the hours of 2 p. m. and 8 p m. We nominate,

One person for Congress.
One person for State Senator.
Two Members or Assemblymen for the State Legislature Eastern District.
Three Members or Assemblymen for the State Legislature Western District.
Two Delegates to the National Republican Convention.
Two Delegates to the National Republican Convention.
Two Alternates to the National Republican Convention.
Two Delegates to the State Republican Convention, Eastern District.
Five Delegates to the State Republican Convention Western District.

The following persons have complied with all the rules governing the Republican party.

FOR STATE SENATOR
Joseph A. McCurdy, of Greensburg,
Chester D. Sensenich, of Irwin.
Denna C. Ogden, of Greensburg.

FOR STATE DELEGATE
(2nd District)
A. N. Shuster of Monessen.
G. H. Thomas, Monessen, (Roosevelt Delegate)
J. Q. Watters, West Newton (Roosevelt Delegate)

FOR CONGRESS
Edward E. Robbins, of Greensburg, Pa.
A. L. Keister, of Scottdale, Pa.

ASSEMBLY
(1st Dist.)
W. W. Ulerich, Latrobe, Pa.
Lloyd C. Koontz, Mt. Pleasant
Samuel Neel, Mt. Pleasant
(2nd Dist.)
S. C. Daugherty, Jeannette
Harry E. Black, Greensburg
C. L. Schuck, Monessen
John F. Ely Jeannette, Pa
F. J. McAllister, New Kensington
E. F. Dickey, New Kensington.

DELEGATE TO NATIONAL CONVENTION
Reynolds Laughlin, New Kensington, Pa. (Roosevelt Delegate)
John M. Jamieson, Greensburg
John C. Dight, Butler County (Roosvelt delegate)
William C. Peoples, Greensburg (Roosevelt Delegate)
Dr. E. L. Wooson, Butler County
1t Chester D. Sensenich.
Chairman Republican Committee.

A HARMLESS WAY TO DARKEN THE HAIR

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The Wyeth Chemical Company of New York put out an ideal preparation of this kind, called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, in which Sage and Sulphur are combined with other valuable remedies for keeping the hair and scalp in clean, healthy condition.

If your hair is losing its color or constantly coming out, or if you are troubled with dandruff or dry, itchy scalp, get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, use it according to the simple directions, and see what a difference a few days' treatment will make in the appearance of your hair.

All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

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Orthodox.

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Real life scenes now on! The best ever! Don't miss this great tonic. A sure cure for poor circulation! Nothing like it ever seen in town! Simply a wonder!

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Estate of Rebecca J. Clementson, Deceased.

Executor's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentory on the estate of Rebecca J. Clementson, late of Rostraver township, Westmoreland county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Register of Westmoreland county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated for settlement.

T. W. KISOR,
Monessen, Pa. Executor.

-:- J. Samuel -:-
MESSENGER
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. William Singer is visiting today in Pittsburgh.

Miss Nelle McMahan is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. George Nash is a visitor in Pitteburgh this afternoon.

C. F. Eggers of Uniontown, is visiting here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Regan have returned from a short visit with relatives at Uniontown.

W. E. Norman of Aliquippa, a former resident of this place, visited here for a few days with friends.

Mrs. W. H. Sharpe and son Harold have returned from a short visit with relatives at Glassport.

C. G. Wilt of the E. G. Hays piano firm, of Pittsburgh, was a business visitor in town yesterday afternoon.

Always EDDY for drugs.

Mrs. A. R. Ney and her house guests, Mrs. W. D. Greenland and daughter Lucy, are visiting in Pittsburgh today.

New "Rag" and old "Standards" in music, 10 and 15c at KEEFER & ROBINS. 403 Donner ave. 13tf

The Misses Wareham have returned to their homes in Pittsburgh after an extended visit with Mrs. J. H. Watt of McKee avenue.

Pora Greaseless cream, soothing and healing, 25c at Kirk's.

Ad. Brautegam and Frank Lane were Pittsburgh visitors last evening and attended "The Chocolate Soldier" at the Nixon theatre.

Toilet soap 10c a cake. See Kirk's window.

F. Joseph McKay a well known dry goods man of McKeesport has accepted a position at the Safier department store and has entered upon his duties.

Sheet music—15c. seven for $1. KEEFER & ROBINS 403 Donner avenue. 13 tf

Mrs. Henry Betts, a former resident of this place, and at present living at Niagara Falls, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jerry McKenzie.

Easter post cards. See Kirk's windo w.

Victor safety razor blade sharpener $1.00 at Kirk's.

Mrs. C. S. Snyder of Pottsville, Pa., has returned to her home at that place after an extended visit here and at Greensburg with relatives.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will give a roast beef supper in the basement of the church on Saturday evening, April 13. 42 3t

Popular music— 15c. KEEFER & ROBINS 403 Donner avenue. 13-tf

The secretary of the Monessen A. A. has received entry blanks for the Amateur Boxing tournament to be held at the Turner Hall in Homestead on Friday and Saturday evenings, March 29 and 30. Any one wishing to enter this tournament can secure the blanks by applying to the secretary.

Your free package of Conkey's Laying Tonic and big Poultry book are here Call before they are gone. Craig's Drug Store, 16 Donner avenue.

Frank Henry has returned to his home in Shelby, O., after visiting here for ten days with his sister Mrs. George Meiser of E. Schoonmaker avenue.

Official Notice

All persons are hereby warned to desist from using the sidewalks as a convenience for placing receptacles such as pop cases, ice cream tubs, beer kegs and other obstructions. Persons guilty after the publication of this notice will be arrested subject to a fine.

4-6t George Graul Ordinance Officer.

CAUSES SICKNESS

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HIS IDEA AS TO WHO SHOULD BE PRESIDENT

A Jefferson county Pennsylvanian, who is one of the unique characters of the county, has been engaged in farming and lumbering on a small scale, and is now keeping a hotel. He speaks with a slow, inimitable drawl and is, withal, a steadfast Republican.

Last Monday a commercial traveler asked him for his views on the contest for the Republican nomination for President; after some deliberation Jake replied:

"Wa-al, now, I dunno, but I kind of like this ma-an, Mr. Roos-e-velt; he knows what to do when he gets in a bo ox; you see they got into an awful snarl out there in the Philippine I-lands, but Mr. Roos e-velt knew what to do and he sent a fellow by the name of Ta-aft out there and he fixed it up purty ni ce Then these here fellows down in Cu ba got to kickin'up a kind of a ruction and Mr. Roos-e-velt sent this here ma-an, Ta-aft, down there and he smothered things out purty we-ll. And then, you know, Mr. Roos-e-velt he sole a piece of ground down there somewheres about Pan-a-ma, and he wanted folks to think he got it honest, so he call-ed in this here Ta-aft and got him to fix it up on paper so that it looked about ha-alf decent. "And you know Mr. Roos-e-velt he was President about seven ye-ars and a ha-alf and he got the Re-publican par ty, and business and the who le coun ry into a hell of a millix, and he put his man Ta-aft in to see if he couldn't fix this up to-o, and it's a dev-il of a big underta-ak-ing, and no fel-low could get through with it inside of about eight years; so I think we ought to stick to Mr. Roos-e-velt and give this ma-an, Ta-af about four ye-ars more in which to finish his jo-ob."

TO BUILD ADDITION TO CHARLEROI PLANT

Saturday's Charleroi Mail stated: "The Macbeth-Evans Glass company will construct this spring a new decorating room and rebuild and enlarge its polishing department.

The new factory will be seperate from the decorating room. The polishing room of the present plant will still be used but will be enlarged. The new decorating department will be a three-story building, 50 by 200 feet. This, together with factory and the recently completed ware room will afford ample opportunity for expansion into new lines. The Macbeth Evans company now employing about 1,500 and having a payroll of nealy $60,000 a month, is the largest industry in Charleroi. It has operated steadily for years, with very brief shutdowns, made necessary by need of repairs.

DEATH RECORD

Pat Bane, 68 years old, known all over the United States as the "Greene county giant," died Sunday in the Washington, Pa., hospital of a complication of diseases. He was a member of the 22nd Pennsylvania cavalry, known as the Ringgold cavalry, and has attended every reunion held by this famous regiment for many years.

He was a prominent figure in Pittsburgh that memorable day when the Tenth Regiment returned from the Philippine Islands, proudly marching with the boys up Forbes street to Schenley Park, where his shiny silk hat could be seen at any time during the day glistening away and above the heads of the tallest of the crowd. Pat Bane was seven feet, four inches in heighth in his stocking feet.

The coffin in which "Pat" will be buried tomorrow with full military honors will be the largest ever ordered from Washington, measuring seven and one-half feet.

Isaac Wayne Rutter, treasurer of the borough of Connellsville since 1897, died early Monday morning. Deceased was a commissioner in Fayette county for quite a time and for twenty years was foreman of the Connellsville carshops of the B. & O. railroad. He was 88 years of age and had been sick only since March 2d. In 1884 Isaac Rutter was in the revenue service, his first appointment being at Gibsonton distillery as storekeeper and gauger. He was a Mason and helped organize the first bank in Connellsville.

Mrs. Mary Conroy, aged 70 years, died last evening a the home of her daughter Mrs. Mary McDonough New Kensington after a prolonged illness. The cause of death was old age. She is survived by a daughter with whom she lived and three sons, Richard of this place and James of Monongahela and Thomas of Avonmore. The funeral services will be held at a time to be announced later and interment will be made at Monongahela.

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Notice To Dog Owners

All dog owners are notified that they must secure a license for dogs at once. Call at the office of the borough clerk and secure registry number in order to comply with the city ordinance. All owners of dogs not complying with the law on or before April first subject themselves to arrest and their dogs to confiscation.
42-10 George Graul Ordinance Officer.

PEOPLES FORUM

This column is devoted to the expression of the opinion of our readers and in no wise denotes the paper's opinion on, or sympathy with, any question involved.

Dear Editor:—

I noticed in last night's paper where a writer through The Peoples Forum thinks chickens running at large should be classed with dogs and that the keepers of such "nuisances," if nuisances they be, should be arrested just the same as dog owners. I have always understood there is no law to govern the actions of chickens but a good thing to do with them when they get on other people's lawn would be to chop their heads off and have a pot pie. Now, Mr. Editor, I would like to know if the ordinance officer has any thing to do with cats. Around my house at night there are tom cats by the dozens, howling and screeching in a manner very annoying. If we are going to get rid of the nuisances let us cover the entire field. Dogs, cats and chickens.

Third Warder.

Dear Editor:

I would like sufficient space to answer one thing I saw in a recent issue of your paper. People have been wanting the Independent telephone granted a franchise for two years past and they petitioned a former council to have it admitted, but were turned down. Now it seems that some of the members of the present council want to investigate and see if there is sufficient public sentiment in favor of the proposition. I would suggest that they dig into the borough records and uncover the petition sent in there some two years ago and if that doesn't give an index into public sentiment it would be hard to get an idea of what public sentiment is. There are so many things in favor of the Independent system that I can hardly start to repeat them, but the one of paramount interest to many of our people is the matter of rates. A residence phone for $1.00 a month and a business phone for $2.00 a month is in itself an item worth considering, to say nothing of the improved service promised. I for one, urge the council to act favorably.

A Reader.

WOMAN MURDERED NEAR GREENSBURG

Mrs. Clara Reed, colored, was murdered Sunday evening at what is known a "the patch" at Crabtree, east of Greensburg. The woman was shot through the head and died instantly; her consort, Thos. Webb was also shot in the abdomen and his condition is said to be critical. State troopers and coal and iron police immediately instituted a search for George Ray, who is alleged to have done the shooting during a drunken spree, in which a number of negroes had gathered at the Webb home. Particulars as to the origin of the trouble are very vague.

After an all night chase, officers of the State Police captured George Ray in Latrobe Monday morning. He is now in jail at Greensburg charged with the murder.

TO ASK THE PEOPLE FOR A BOND ISSUE

It is said that the citizens of North Charleroi borough will be asked to vote on the proposition of bonding the borough to the extent of $6,000 or $8,000 for the purpose of securing money for paving and sewering purposes. At the last meeting of council Borough Solicitor D. M. McCosky was instructed to draw up a resolution to be presented to council relative to the bond issue matter. It would be to their interests too, to vote on changing the name to West Monessen, as geographically, socially and commercially, that is what it should be.

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